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LETTER FROM SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL
CONTROL APPROVING NO FURTHER ACTION FOR AREA OF CONCERN 516 (AOC 516)
CNC CHARLESTON SC
5/25/2001
SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL



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May 25, 2001

Matthew Humphrey
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Re: Final Corrective Action Decision for AOC 516
IM Completion Report for AOC 516 in Zone C, dated April 2001
Charleston Naval Complex
SC0 170 022 560

Dear Mr. Humphrey:

The South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (Department) has reviewed the above referenced document along with the IM Work Plan, dated November 2000 for AOC 516 located in Zone C according to applicable State and Federal Regulations, and the Charleston Naval Complex Hazardous Waste Permit (Permit), effective September 17, 1998.

The objective of the IM was to excavate surface soils in the vicinity of sampling location C047SB007 with arsenic concentrations greater than Zone C background levels (14.1 mg/kg). Based on the review of the above referenced report, the Department concurs that the Navy has met its objective. The Department now approves the no further action (NFA) as final corrective action decision for AOC 516 (please see the attachments). However, the Navy should satisfy all requirements of other program areas of the Department as deemed appropriate. Further, the CNC should note that the Department's approval is based on the information provided to date. Any new information found to be contradictory may require further action.

The Navy should note that the Permit has not been modified to document the above stated decision for AOC 516. The current Permit classification for AOC 516 is a CMS. The Department will make the necessary changes to the Permit during the next Permit Modification to document this NFA decision.

Should you have any questions regarding this issue, please contact Susan Peterson at (803) 896-4182 or Mansour Malik at (803) 896-4169.

Sincerely,

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